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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. 1-24-85

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL COUNTY COUNSELS

SUBJECT: IMPLEMENTATION OF SB 2003 (CHAPTER 1597, 1984) - FOSTER PARENT

TRAINING

The Office of the Chancellor of Community Colleges is preparing to send out a request for proposals from community colleges to provide foster parent training mandated by SB 2003.

The Chancellor's Office plans to facilitate implementation of a limited number of community college based training programs in the spring and to have these programs available in most areas of the state in the fall.

The Chancellor's Office will be establishing local advisory boards to identify foster parent training needs and the training program formats which are most suitable to address the needs of a given area.

The purpose of this letter is to encourage county welfare departments to contact the appropriate local office of community colleges to offer assistance to and to actively participate on the local advisory board for foster parent training programs.

The consultant who is coordinating the SB 2003 foster parent training effort statewide for the Chancellor's Office is Ms. Suzi Kaylor. She may be reached at Foster Parent Training Program, Chancellor's Office, California Community Colleges, 1107 9th Street, Sacramento, California, 95814, (916) 324-2546.

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